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NEW WESTMINSTER, SATURDAY, JULY 18, 1863.

### MATERIAL PROSPERITY.

No one having the prosperity of this Colony at heart can be otherwise than rejoiced at the present prosperous aspect of things. In spite of all the clogs and political disabilities under which we labor—in spite of a Governor who seeks to trammel and keep us in a helpless and dependent condition, the material progress of British Columbia is indeed something to excite wonder as well as satisfaction. Whether we look at our gold mines, the most attractive if not the most important of our resources, our soil or our forests, all plainly indicate vastness and permanency, and capital is only wanting in order to their rapid development. It is true population is yet comparatively sparse, but that is easily accounted for. Political repulsion together with the disastrous season of 1862 could not fail in producing their natural result. But this is one of the difficulties most easily overcome in a gold-producing country. The great point is to retain a population. The tendency of gold seekers is ever to leave as soon as they can accumulate a fortune; and if disappointed in that they generally give way to despondency and discontent, and the sooner they leave the better for the country.

If we look to our gold fields what do we find? In almost every instance where there has been sufficient capital and perseverance to reach the bed-rock a rich return has been the result. Ground which was considered worthless two years ago is now known to be fabulously rich. Claims which last year were accounted the richest in the country are now entirely superseded and held to be third or fourth rate. And then see the breadth of ground, how it has extended. Even on Williams Creek, where until very recently the rich deposits were thought to be confined to the circumscribed limits of two or three miles, they now extend over a space of ten miles, capable of affording remunerative employment to at least as many thousand miners.

Of the other creeks we cannot of course speak with the same degree of certainty. On Lowhee and Lightning several claims are now known to be equally rich with Williams; and it is reasonable to assume that as these creeks are prospected they will be found in every respect equal to the now renowned Williams Creek. Indeed Lightning, the most extensive, and probably the most expensive to prospect, is confidently looked upon by many experienced miners as all but certain to surpass all others. Several other creeks have been discovered, upon some of which excellent "prospects" have already been obtained, but respecting which very little is yet known. And, after all, we have to confess that but an indifferent beginning has yet been made in prospecting the country. Respecting the greater portion of it we are about as ignorant as are the people dwelling on the opposite side of the globe. What little prospecting has been accomplished would seem to justify the assertion that the interior of British Columbia is literally one continuous deposit of the precious metal, extending from the Rock Creek to the Peace River country.

In quartz mining nothing practical has yet been accomplished, although it is known beyond a shadow of doubt that quartz leads, rich in gold and silver as well as the baser metals, abound in the mountainous parts of the country. Quartz mining will follow in good time, and is doubtless destined to be the more permanent as well as lucrative branch of mining in this Colony; and, inasmuch as it affords employment for more men and capital, its results to the country will consequently possess an increased importance. It is gratifying to know that Joint Stock companies are already forming for the more effectual prosecution of this branch of mining. One wealthy company formed in England has now a party of 14 men engaged in the Cariboo country under the superintendence of a Mr. Evans, an experienced quartz miner.

If we turn attention to our progress in agricultural pursuits the result is even more gratifying to those who have the permanent welfare of the Colony at heart. For how important soever the mineral resources may appear, and doubtless are in their proper place, still it is undeniable that altho' they might enrich thousands yet they could never of themselves make a Colony. It is, after all, to the farmers, the manufacturers and the artisans we must look if we would build up a great and enduring Colony on the British Pacific. And thus it is that we look with so much anxiety for the settlement of our inviting

prairies and fertile valleys amidst all the eager rushing to and fro in search of gold, viewing almost with a jealous eye the rapid extraction of so much treasure before we are prepared to retain a reasonable proportion of it in the country.

It is most gratifying, then, to know that the advance this Colony has made during the last year in an agricultural point of view is even greater than that made in mining. In the upper part of the country when, two years ago, and even at a much later period, the impression obtained that not a farm could be found—where the very idea of farming was scouted—flourishing farms, with their waving fields of golden grain can now be reckoned by the score. Indeed, along the entire line of travel from the time you leave the Cascade range until you arrive at the very confines of Cariboo the eye scarcely ever loses sight of cultivated farms. And as those now engaged in husbandry realize the lucrativeness of that pursuit so will they extend their operations, and others will be induced to give their attention to this branch of industry.

Not less marked is the progress on the Lower Fraser. From the mouth of that river to the Harrison, a distance of about 60 miles, will soon be one continuous settlement on both sides of the river; while in whatever direction we look we see the wave of settlement and civilization rolling onwards, and rendering the numerous fertile plains, which have for so many ages been in the undisputed possession of the savage Indian and the wild beast, subservient to the requirements of a civilized community.

### New Advertisements.

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TENDERS are invited for Cutting and Stacking from 100 to 150 tons of Hay. For particulars apply to Mr. George Hooper, Commission Agent, New Westminster. New Westminster, June 22, 1863. je24-1c

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**RESTAURANT.**  
FRONT STREET,  
FORT YALE, B. C.

THE ABOVE ESTABLISHMENT, having been newly fitted up at a great expense, is ready for the reception of the public. The BAR will contain the choicest Liquors, while the TABLE will be constantly supplied with the substantial as well as the delicacies of the season. K. B.—Good, clean Sleeping Apartments connected with the Hotel. L. DAVISON, Manager. ma28-1c

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## COFFEE SALOON.

THE UNDERSIGNED begs to inform his friends, and the public generally, that he has removed to his new and commodious establishment on the

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Coffee, Tea, Chocolate, Pies and Cakes, supplied at all hours, and at reduced rates.

Orders for WEDDINGS and PARTIES promptly attended to. JOSEPH SOREL. ma4

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New Westminster, Jan. 26, 1863. ja28

## LILLOOET ROUTE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING REFITTED THE

## PEMBERTON HOUSE.

FOR THE

Accommodation of Travellers,

WITH

BEDS AND LIQUORS,

AND having engaged the best Cooks on the Pacific Coast, are prepared to furnish the travelling public with all the comforts and luxuries of a FIRST-CLASS HOTEL, at greatly reduced rates.

N. B.—Travellers will find it to their advantage to patronize this House, as none but the best of everything will be furnished.

P. SMITH & CO. sel3

Pemberton, Sept. 12th, 1862.

## NOTICE.

WHEREAS my wife, Martha Smith, has left me without any just cause or provocation, I hereby notify all persons that I will not be responsible for, or pay, any debts contracted by her after this date.

WILLIAM SMITH.

Port Pemberton, B. C., April 15th, 1863. my23-m

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NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.

—0000—

## Messrs. Grelley Brothers

Have added to their comfortable

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A SPLENDID

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DRINKS AND CIGARS.

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CIDER, SYRUPS,

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THE BEST BRANDS OF

## CIGARS,

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New Westminster, July 18, 1862. jyl9

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Ralph Brocklebank, Esq., & E. Johnston, Esq.

MANAGER AND ACTUARY,

PERCY M. DOVE, ESQ.

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Vancouver Island & British Columbia,

and will now accept proposals for Insurance both in the

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They feel confident that the known Standing and Character of this Office, the sound principles on which it is established and the magnitude of its resources, will obtain for it a fair share of public patronage.

James Dickson, Esq., M. D., has been appointed Medical Examiner to the Life Branch.

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Victoria, 20th January, 1863. ja24



## J. L. JUNGERMANN, Watchmaker and Jeweller,

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—0000—

## Patent Gold and Silver Watches,

Fully equal to Chronometer Timepieces from the Manufactory of Lange, Dresden, universally acknowledged as the best European maker. More than twenty of these magnificent Watches are already disposed of to gentlemen in the city and country, each one giving the most entire satisfaction. WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELLERY, COM-PASSES, SPECTACLES, OPERA GLASSES, &c., &c. Constantly on hand. fel4-1c

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Money Loaned on Good Security,

ADVANCES MADE ON LIVE STOCK,

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Auctioneers and Land Agents,

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Town Lots for Sale in New Westminster and Victoria. mar28

## PIONEER SALOON.

—OF HIS—

Mr. J. T. SCOTT

HAS THE PLEASURE of informing his old friends, and the travelling public generally, that he is still to be found at the north-east corner of Lytton-square, where the thirsty are invited to call and try a sample

—OF HIS—

Wines, Ales and Liquors,

which he flatters himself are as good as can be produced in the Colony. In connection with the Saloon he has just opened a splendid

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which is furnished with three first-class Billiard Tables with marble beds and Phelan's composition cushions; and being well lighted and ventilated, possesses all the facilities for enjoying a quiet game at Billiards. jul3

British Columbia

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THE COMPANY'S STAGES, carrying Passengers and Express Freight, run regularly between

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Leaving each Town every morning.

FINE GOODS are conveyed, with dispatch, over the route in Light Four-Horse Waggon.

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### Victoria Advertisements.

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IN 12,500 SHARES, OF \$100 EACH,

WITH POWER TO INCREASE.

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On money lodged for 6 months certain, at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum.

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No partial payment made on these receipts. Interest payable half yearly, and the Principal not due until the expiry of the period for which the money is lodged.

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CREDITS issued on Great Britain, San Francisco, and New York, authorizing payment for Goods shipped from these ports to the Colonies; all such shipments to be insured and Hypothecated to the Bank.

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## GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,

—ALSO—

Importers and Agents for the best brands of French Wines and Liquors, and receive direct shipments of Havana Cigars by every steamer. jy12

## EX "N. S. PERKINS,"

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## Meats and Vegetables,

Packed in 10-lb. Tins of cases of 100

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Expressly for British Columbia Trade.

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## NOTICE!

I HEREBY NOTIFY ALL PERSONS that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, EMILY JANE PRINDLE, as I make her a suitable allowance for the purpose of maintenance, and give her no authority whatever to contract any debts on my account.

EDWIN H. PRINDLE.

March 23rd, 1863. my30-1m



THE BRITISH COLUMBIAN.  
This journal is published every Wednesday and Saturday, at the office, Lytton Square, New Westminster. Single copy, price 6d., or 12½ cents. Terms per quarter, 10s., or \$2.50; half-yearly, 18s., or 4.50; and yearly \$1.00, or \$7.50. Subscriptions must be paid in advance.  
Copies of this paper can be had at the Book Store of Messrs. Clarkson & Co., Columbia Street.

ADVERTISING RATES.  
Transient Advertisements, 2 inches and under, \$2 first insertion, and one dollar each subsequent insertion. Over two inches, \$3 per inch for first insertion, and half a dollar for each subsequent insertion. Special contracts with regular advertisers.  
Advertisements in order to ensure insertion, should be sent in before noon of the day before publication. The British Columbian must be paid in advance. Those for longer periods than one month are required to be paid each month in advance.  
All Advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued until ordered out, and so charged.

## The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, SATURDAY, JULY 18, 1863.

## THE WAR.

By arrival of the *Str. Caledonia* last evening we are in possession of two days' later news from the seat of war, confirmatory of the defeat of Lee and the surrender of Vicksburg. The following is the result of the great battle according to Federal authority: Comparing various estimates, we think the prisoners will reach from 9,000 to 10,000. To this number should be added stragglers, wounded and deserters, whom it is reported, are already being gathered up by thousands. The rebel loss in killed and wounded will not probably fall below 13,000, which will swell the total number to 25,000, one third of the men Lee brought over the Potomac. Gen. Meade, however, states the rebel loss from 32,000 to 35,000 men, and 60 pieces of artillery. Of prisoners we lost none, except a few officers. Lee carried off 3,000 of our men and paroled them, but the parole was inefficient because, under terms of the cartel, Meade refused to agree to it. Lee then sent them to Couch, who did not recognise their parole.

Lee is between South Mountain and Hagerstown and the Potomac to give Meade battle, as it seems impossible for him to reach Virginia. Imboden has a force of about 10,000 at Williamsport, protecting the rebel trains, which are crossing as fast as limited means will allow. It was raining in torrents, and the flood would destroy any pontoons.

We give the following in reference to the surrender of Vicksburg:

CHICKASAW BAYOU, July 3, 8 P.M.—At 8 o'clock this morning a flag of truce appeared before Mr. Smith's front, when the rebel Major General Bowen and Col. Montgomery were led blindfolded into our lines. They bore a communication from Gen. Pemberton to Gen. Grant, of the following purport:

"Although I feel confident of my ability to resist your arms indefinitely, in order to stop the further effusion of blood I propose that you appoint three commissioners to meet three which I shall send, to arrange such terms as may best accomplish the result."

Grant replied substantially in these words:—"The appointment of commissioners is quite unnecessary. While I should be glad to stop the unnecessary effusion of blood, the only terms I can entertain are these: UNCONDITIONAL SURRENDER. At the same time, myself, officers and men, are ready to testify to the gallantry with which the defense of Vicksburg has been conducted."

At 10 o'clock the messenger returned. This afternoon, in accordance with a request from Gen. Pemberton, Gen. Grant met him outside the lines. After an hour's consultation they settled the terms of surrender. Pemberton urged that the soldiers might be paroled and allowed rations from their own stores to carry them to the Confederate lines. In view of the bravery displayed by these troops, the advantages of the place and the condition of the enemy, Grant finally consented to Pemberton's request. The officers were each allowed a horse and servant. The number of Prisoners is 18,000, two-thirds of whom are said to be in fighting condition. The immediate cause of the surrender was the exhaustion of supplies and ammunition, and the failure of Johnston to come to Pemberton's relief.

## FROM THE MINES.

The *str. Hope* arrived last night from Yale, bringing Dixie & Nelson's Express, in charge of Mr. Hughes, containing \$15,000 in treasure and a large number of letters. About \$40,000 also came down in private hands. Mr. Humphrey had arrived at Yale with Barnard's Cariboo Express. We have no very definite news from Cariboo. Trains were rushing in provisions, and flour had fallen as low as 35c. to 40c., causing considerable uneasiness amongst traders. From Similkameen and Rock Creek the news is very satisfactory. There are upwards of 100 men making from \$10 to \$16 a day.

VICTORIA ELECTIONS.—There is a tremendous stir in Victoria over the elections. The nomination was to have taken place yesterday and the polling to-day. Young, DeCosmos, Welsh, Ridge, Powell, Franklin, Piddell, Fellows and Bunster are out for the city. At a meeting called by Welsh on Thursday evening the *Chronicle* says John Butts and Felix O'Byrne put several pertinent questions to the candidate and received satisfactory answers.

## New Advertisements.

## MUNICIPAL NOTICE!

ELECTORS who are desirous of voting at the ensuing Municipal Election are required to register their names with the Town Clerk before the 25th instant.  
C. BREW, C. I. P.  
New Westminster, July 13, 1863. jy15

## DICKSON, CAMPBELL &amp; CO.,

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Without Reserve,

This Superb Collection of Rich and Unique

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AND

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Of every description and variety, all carefully and tastefully selected, of the very newest styles, many of them never before seen on this coast, and it can be safely said, never before equalled.

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All Rich and in Exquisite Taste.

## INGENIOUS DEVICES WORKED IN STRAW,

And an infinite variety of articles CURIOUS, ORNAMENTAL, USEFUL AND AMUSING.

N. B.—The arrangements for the display of this Superb collection will be completed in a few days, and will be such as to afford the citizens,

AND LADIES ESPECIALLY,  
The opportunity to examine every thing satisfactorily before the day of sale.

The Auctioneer can safely promise the  
MOST ATTRACTIVE EXHIBITION  
of Rich, Costly and Curious things ever offered on this coast.

Catalogues will be distributed in a few days. Many of these goods are very costly, and would not have been sold at prices to guarantee shipment from Japan, except for the anticipation of war.

## New Advertisements.

## AUCTION! CLEARING OUT SALE!

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THE LARGEST AND BEST SELECTED

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SKIRTS,  
CASES SILK SKIRTS and BROCADED REPS,  
CASES CHECKED LINSEYS and CHALLES,  
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CASES MEN'S and WOMEN'S UNDERSHIRTS and  
PANTS, best quality,  
BALES BLACK, BLUE, and SCARLET CLOTHS,  
BLANKETS,  
CASES, BLEACHED HUCKABACK, WHITE, BLACK  
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Books, Tune Books, Tuck Memorandums, of all  
kinds and sizes, Ledgers, Journals, Cash and  
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## The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, SATURDAY, JULY 18, 1863.

## WHAT HAVE THEY DONE?

Now that the Royal Engineers have been disbanded, or recalled, the question forming our caption may not be out of place. A finer and more willing body of men were never stationed in a British Colony—we say this without any intention to flatter—and yet at the expiration of a five years' service it becomes our painful duty to ask, what have they done? What value have they given for the expense they have been to the Imperial and the Colonial Governments? How have they met the high expectations which the country justly entertained respecting them? They were picked men—the flower of that branch of the service to which they belong; and yet what service have they rendered to this Colony? For their sake and for the sake of the country we deeply regret the replies which common honesty compels us to return to these interrogations.

Three-fourths of the time of the Royal Engineers has been devoted to work for which they were altogether unadapted either by education or practice. They have been doing little else than serving a five years' apprenticeship as choppers, laborers and printers, at the expense of the country and to the almost total neglect of the more important work for which they were sent here. They have been playing Brain during six months in the year, and during the other six they have been playing navy—work to which they were unaccustomed and for which they never enlisted. The result is that what they have done is fearfully disproportioned to the cost of it. Scraps of road, excellent in quality and difficult in execution, they have constructed. But the same work could have been done by half as many experienced laborers placed under competent Engineers. Some of their work will stand, long as the everlasting rocks, an enduring monument of engineering skill and patient toil, while others only commemorate blundering folly.

What could be more absurd than converting a body of Royal Engineers into wood choppers? The poor fellows did the best they could; and wonderful progress they made at it, although the foolish experiment cost some of them their toes and, sad to say, others their lives. But was it to learn new trades and occupations they were sent out? Or were they not rather selected on account of the superior engineering and artistic skill they possessed for the pursuit of that profession in which such skill would be called into requisition? Such would certainly seem, from a perusal of the Blue Books, to be the considerations by which the Imperial Government were actuated in making the choice they did, in alluding to which Sir Bulwer Lytton lays particular stress upon the value of their services to this new Colony.

Was there then no field in which they could have pursued their own profession with credit to themselves and advantage to the country? A more ample and inviting field for such a body of men could hardly be produced in the whole of Her Majesty's dominions. There was a Colony of 200,000 square miles, much of it untroubled by the foot of a white man, teeming with minerals of every sort for them to explore and map out. What has been done with the tons of artesian apparatus which cost the Imperial Government many thousands? It has been permitted to lie and rust; and although coal beds in abundance are known to exist yet not the first fathom of boring has been done. Had these men been afforded an opportunity of calling into requisition the appliances and scientific skill at their command, experiments and discoveries of infinite value to the country would have been the result. But here we are, at the end of five years, just about as profoundly ignorant respecting the vast interior of the Colony as we were at the first, while a valuable corps of scientific men have been frittering away valuable time in snagging down trees, grubbing stumps, making pretty gravel walks, nice terraces and romantic pleasure grounds instead of doing the important work for which they were designed.

Who is to blame for all this? Has their commanding officer, so far forgotten his duty to his Sovereign and himself as to give way to such idle nonsense, and rob the noble body of men he has the honor to command of their *esprit de corps*? No! No!! He has keenly felt the degradation to which the Royal Engineers have been subjected while he has discharged the duty which devolved upon him as far as circumstances would permit. It is to Mr. Douglas the country stands indebted for this pitiful exhibition of supercilious subversion. Jealous of Colonel Moody from the very first he has pursued a uniform policy of depreciating and inutilizing the services of those under his command. He has persistently refused to permit them to be employed in exploring the country, or, indeed, at anything in which they might be presumed to excel or make their importance felt. While they have been reduced, may we not say degraded, to the position of

common laborers and carefully kept at work in which they could not display their talents, strangers have been employed to explore the country and engineer our roads while inexperienced constable and understrappers have been sent to accept the work from contractors. When pressed by the Chief Commissioner to allow exploring and surveying parties to be told off and sent out his reply has been, "No. If you send them you may pay their expenses out of your own pocket."

Thus have the Royal Engineers been kept in a false position, their time and talents to a great extent sacrificed to the selfish jealousy of a petty tyrant. Had the Chief Commissioner been permitted to employ these men as they should have been employed and as his own good sense would have dictated we should have a very different tale to tell now. But the silly farce is about to close. His Excellency has succeeded in having the term of service of this corps curtailed, which is perhaps not so much to be regretted when it is remembered how successful he has been in neutralizing their usefulness in the Colony. We cannot but regret that so fine and deserving a lot of men will be discharged, in a sense, under a cloud in so far as their civil service is concerned. But every honest colonist who is cognizant of their five years' history in British Columbia will cheerfully bear testimony to their willingness and worth, while he will kindly sympathize with them in the supercilious and unmanly treatment to which they have been subjected at the hands of a domineering and incompetent Governor. All will part with those who may return to England with regret, while to those who remain in the Colony will be accorded a unanimous and hearty welcome.

## THE PRIZE ESSAYS AGAIN.

It will be remembered that eighteen months ago the Governor offered two prizes for the two best Essays upon this Colony, that the first lot were very strangely treated, and that the offer was renewed on the part of the Government, requiring the second Essays to be sent in by the 30th of June, 1863. It will also be remembered that the result was announced in these columns, viz: The first prize of £50 was awarded to the Rev. R. L. Brown of Lilloet, and the second prize of £10 to Mr. Anderson of Vancouver Island. As the ostensible object in obtaining these Essays was to make this Colony better known abroad it was expected that they, or at least the best one, would be published and put in circulation with all possible dispatch. But what is the fact? After waiting for a whole year we learn by mere accident that the first prize Essay, not in its entirety, however, but after being garbled and mangled at James' Bay, passages containing implied censure of the Government and merited praise to Colonel Moody and the Royal Engineers having been carefully expunged, has been in press at the R. E. Camp for the last two months, and may possibly be ready for distribution or sale in two months more! So it would seem the Governor and his "man Friday" have taken nearly twelve months to mould the literary production to their liking, and now it, or rather the mangled remains of it, is to be given to the world when everything in the Colony is so changed as to render the work of little or no value, in great part perfect nonsense, in fact. Verily a model Government is ours! We have been given to understand that Mr. Anderson is about to have his Essay published in England, having made certain additions so as to bring it down to the present time. The Governor first mooted the idea of publishing prize Essays just at the time the promoters of our representation in the "Great Exhibition" were proposing to compile a short Essay upon this Colony for distribution at that great gathering, and his professed intention was to have the prize Essay set in type for that purpose; but his subsequent acts fully convince us that his real purpose was to circumvent that most desirable object.

**MINING IN THE SIMILKAMEEN COUNTRY.**—From a gentleman who has just returned from that section of the country we learn upwards of 100 miners are at work and doing well. We hear of one claim which pays as high as \$15, a day, and will last for five or six years, giving a steady yield at that rate. It is matter of surprise to us that those who have not sufficient means to engage in mining in the more distant and expensive Cariboo diggings do not find their way to the Similkameen and Rock Creek country, where we are assured there is no difficulty in obtaining \$5 diggings, and where living need not cost more than \$1 a day. It seems as though some would prefer starvation in Cariboo to earning five dollars a day elsewhere.

**DROWNED.**—An Indian was drowned in the Fraser, near the mouth of the Coquitlam, on Wednesday last, from the upsetting of a canoe containing several of them. We understand they were intoxicated at the time, which accounts for the accident. The Chief Inspector of Police upon being advised of the affair, dispatched an officer to the encampment on the Coquitlam, for the purpose of ascertaining if possible by whom the liquor was supplied to these Indians, and who are happy to be able to state that one Charles Muller, a cooper, who has taken up a pre-emption somewhere above Pitt River, and who is believed to have been carrying on a regular whiskey trade with the Indians, was arrested, pleaded guilty, and was fined £20, which he at once paid.

**CHANGE IN THE GOVERNMENT.**—It is rumored that by last steamer His Excellency received information to reside in British Columbia, with the title of Governor-General, and informing him that his place here would be filled by a Lieutenant-Governor.—*Chronicle.*

**HORRIBLE MURDER AND SUICIDE.**—A Dr. Boers caused a great sensation in San Francisco on the 3rd by murdering his wife and daughter and committing suicide. Motive, pecuniary difficulties.

**EXPORT OF TREASURE.**—The Bank of British Columbia sends \$3,564,777; the Bank of British North America, \$1,947,648; per steamship Sierra Nevada. Messrs. Wells, Fargo & Co. had not closed their office at the hour we went to press, so we are unable to furnish the total amount.—*Express*, 16th.

**CUSTOMS RECEIPTS** for week ending 13th July, 1863? Duties, £837 12 7; Harbor dues, £21 9 8; Head money, £12 0 0; Tonnage dues, £87 15 0; Inland Navigation License, £3 14 0. Total, £962 11 3, or \$4813.

**HOW THEY DO THINGS UP IN IRELAND.**—It would appear the city of Belfast distanced the rest of the world in the elegance of taste displayed in the matter of addressing the Prince of Wales upon the event of his marriage. Four addresses were sent from the city as follows: From the Mayor and Corporation, from the town itself, from the heads of the Queen's College, and from the students of the Queen's and Presbyterian Colleges. These addresses were splendid specimens of book-binding and illumination, upon which the designer and artist lavished their respective skill—works rich in gold and color, fitting ornaments of the boudoir or the drawing-room. It would appear that the attention of the Prince & Princess was specially attracted by these addresses, and that they gave intense gratification to the Royal pair.

**THE NATURAL WONDERS OF KENTUCKY.**—The geological formation of the country is singular. Ponds with no visible inlet or outlet are very frequent. Holes in the ground called "sink holes," are very common, and some of these lead to the great caves which abound in this region. Boys pick up loadstones from the ground as most any point. Surveyors are often troubled from this cause. "Sink holes" extend into the earth from ten to three hundred feet, with sometimes a spring or a small stream at the bottom. Two of these near Mumfordsville excite a good deal of curiosity. One on an eminence called the Frenchman's Knob, has been descended two hundred and seventy-five feet without discovering any indications of a bottom. Another, near the town which is some seventy-five feet in diameter at the top, inclines like a funnel to the depth of thirty feet. At this point is an aperture twelve feet in diameter, leading to unknown depths. A stone or rock cast in, returns no sound indicative of having found bottom. Near the same place is a spring that rises some twelve inches at noon every day with as great regularity as the sun passes the zenith.

**A PAIR OF SPECTACLES.**—"Madam," said the keeper at the gate of Kensington Gardens, "I can not permit you to take your dog into the gardens." "Don't you see, my good friend," said the lady, putting a couple of shillings in the keeper's hand, "that is a cat and not a dog!" "Madam," said the keeper, instantly softening his tone of voice, "I beg your pardon for my mistake. I now see clearly, by the aid of the spectacles which you have been so good as to give me, that it is a cat, and not a dog."

**SHERIDAN'S REPLY TO A DUN.**—One of SHERIDAN'S creditors had frequently called upon him for a small amount. The bill had been so often presented to the mad wag that the collector complained of its soiled and tattered state, and said he was ashamed of it. "I'll tell you what I'd advise you to do with it, my friend," said SHERIDAN: "take it home and write it upon parchment."

**NEW CHANNEL FOR EXPENDITURE.**—To the Editor of the British Columbia.

SIR,—Can you inform me if the two hundred pounds (£200) already paid to Mr. Duncan—by order from Mr. Douglas in Victoria Vancouver Island,—is as prepayment of Mr. Duncan's salary as Justice of the Peace, or for the support of the Church of England Mission at Metlakathla, in British Columbia?

CAT OF NINE TAILS.

New Westminster, B. C., July 16th 1863.  
[We have been given to understand that the amount alluded to has been given more especially for the purpose of improving the physical condition of the Indians. One moiety has been expended in the purchase of a vessel and the balance is to be used in starting certain manufactures at Metlakathla. Altho' deeply impressed with the importance of the Mission, and anxious as we are for its success, we question the policy and propriety of the grant. It is treading upon dangerous ground.—Ed.]

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Fort Langley, June 23, 1863. je24-1m

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Packers, Stagers and Teamsters are informed that they will find good stabling and the best of provender, as well as an excellent run for cattle on the grounds.

The strictest attention will be paid to the comfort of those who may patronize the Lochlomon House.

McMURPHY & GRANT.

Lochlomon, British Columbia, March, 1863. 1c.



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NEW WESTMINSTER, SATURDAY, JULY 18, 1863.

### Poetry.

#### Self-Reliance.

When the clouds are lowering o'er thee,  
And in loneliness and sorrow  
Thou canst see no star before thee  
Heralding a bright to-morrow;  
Let no coward thought persuade thee  
To resign a glorious strife;  
Ask no human friend to aid thee  
In the battlefield of life.  
For in the chambers of my soul  
Where, perchance, they've slumbered long,  
Thou hast still supreme control  
O'er an army brave and strong.  
Hope and energies are there,  
High resolve and mighty thought,  
Brother! why with these despair?  
Nobler allies never fought.  
Onward, then, without a fear—  
Rest not, faint not by the way;  
God will make the star appear,  
And usher in a brighter day.

### TO THE SUSPENSION BRIDGE, NIAGARA RIVER.

Anonimus structor! Whar, I'd like to know  
Did the constructors stand as blit this rode  
Rite throo the air? Say, gentle Mews,  
Wot had they to hold on to? But alas!  
The Mews sea nuthin. O, Jerusalem!  
Wot boyed 'em up! Imaginashun's floed—  
Kant get the hang of it!  
I have it now—  
They did it in balloons!

HEALTH PREFERRED TO WINE.—A distinguished  
member of Parliament was one day in his own  
house with a professional gentleman who had  
called upon him. Mr. —, fearful of intruding  
upon the honorable gentleman's time, was about  
to make his bow and be off, when the member,  
whose cellar of wines is held in no small celebrity,  
said, "You must not go without tasting my Ma-  
deira, which I know to be a favorite wine of  
yours." "Thank ye; I could not refuse such an  
offer" was the reply; and down he sat.  
The bell was rung; the cork drawn; and the host  
begged Mr. — to help himself. "I never  
tasted such Madeira anywhere as yours," said  
Mr. —, after emptying with much gout, "it is  
very generally liked. I import my own; and  
am at some pains to have the best." "But you  
are not joining me," exclaimed the surprised  
guest. "No! I dare not. Wine does not agree  
with me. I have long abstained from taking  
wine at all." "Well," said the guest, "It does  
me no good; indeed I am always uncomfortable  
at my stomach, or confused in my head, after  
taking it. But how you can resist such wine  
as this, is, I confess, beyond my comprehension.  
But perhaps after all, you don't care much  
about wine; and so, it is no very great hardship  
to you to give it up." "Pardon me, sir," said  
the member, "I am even remarkably fond of a  
glass of wine." "Then how do you contrive to  
sit there, and see it before you, and not even  
taste it?" "Why, sir, I like wine very much;  
but, Sir, I like health better."—Magazine of  
Health.

ONIONS.—According to the London *Gardener's*  
*Magazine*, charred rubbish and sand are capital  
materials for surfacing onion beds, as they keep  
the bulbs dry and warm while their roots are  
reveling in the rich soil below. Moisture at the  
base of the bulb for any length of time is most  
injurious to the onion; on the other hand, a dry  
heat at the surface is very beneficial, and it is the  
sun-heat alone which renders the Spanish onions  
so superior to the English in flavor and beauty of  
the bulbs. The hotter the season or the climate  
the sweeter the flavor of the onions; and the colder  
the season of the climate, the more pungent.  
Onions grown in the north of Europe are many  
degrees more fiery than those grown in the south.  
The hoe should never be used among onions. It  
does a deal of mischief, and if an onion is once  
loosened in the soil, it never makes much growth  
afterward. So, too, the bulbs should never be  
earthed up; they should stand wholly above ground,  
and have good depth of soil to root in. Sea-sand,  
salt and soot are good top-dressings for an onion  
bed, to be put on at least a week before sowing.  
The same writer recommends gas lime and deep  
trenching as the best preventives of the onion  
maggot.

A CONVENIENT MEMORY.—"Mary, my love, do  
you remember the text this morning?" "No  
papa, I never remember the text; I've such a  
bad memory." "Mary," said her mother,  
"did you notice Susan Brown?" "Oh, yes;  
what a fright! She had on her last year's bon-  
net done up, a pea-green silk, a black lace man-  
tilla, brown gaiters, an imitation Honiton collar,  
a lava bracelet, her old ear-drops, and such a fan!"

RUSSIA.—From a country generally considered  
cold and sterile the American Consul writes of  
a tract of arable land twelve hundred miles long  
and four hundred broad of such unprecedented  
richness, that notwithstanding the centuries it  
has been under cultivation, it still remains capable  
of supporting the many millions of the Empire  
as well as to supply the deficiency in the grain  
markets of Europe, and bids fair to do so for  
ages to come.

MONSTER.—I'm afraid I'm sitting on your  
crinoline ma'am! *Affable Young Lady*—Oh,  
never mind, sir, it's no consequence; you can't  
hurt it. *Monster*—No, ma'am, it's not that;  
but the confounded thing hurts me!

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being now very complete, Farmers and Merchants  
are invited to call and examine for themselves. Country  
and British Columbia Merchants supplied at the lowest  
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THE SUBSCRIBER, having been appointed Agent  
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on San Francisco prices. Parties wanting Patent Hay  
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dering will require to remit with the order, about one-  
fifth of the value of the machine to pay Freight.  
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chants, Steamboat Owners and others to his Stock, and  
ascertain the prices before purchasing elsewhere.  
N. B.—Fresh Garden Seeds Just received and  
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Merchants and Shippers to British Columbia, who  
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Good Stabling, and Horses constantly on sale at  
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DISEASES OF THE SKIN.

Universal approbation has been awarded to this fam-  
ous Ointment for its efficiency in removing diseases of  
the skin. For scrofula, scald heads, and all  
eruptions of the skin, both in infancy and maturity, there is  
no remedy can be applied which so quickly cures as  
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be at hand to ease the many skin affections to which  
the majority of children are liable. In all heat and  
tooth rashe, the Ointment is wonderfully cooling and  
curative. To soldiers, sailors, miners, and travellers in  
foreign lands, it is invaluable.

SORES, WOUNDS, BAD BREASTS, BAD LEGS.

In this class of maladies, an improvement in the ap-  
pearance of the disease of the patient, follows the first  
dressing with the Ointment.

It must not only be smeared on the wound, or sore,  
but be briskly rubbed for some inches round about the  
diseased swollen or painful parts. It will penetrate to  
the blood vessels, nerves, and muscles, and even to the  
bone, and will exercise the most wholesome, healing,  
and purifying power over every tissue requisite for thor-  
ough reparation. The effect of the Ointment is increas-  
ed by fomenting with warm water before the Ointment  
is rubbed in; but sores, when healing, should never be  
cleaned with sponge or anything else, as the young  
and new flesh which appears like a cream, would be  
washed away.

BLOOD TO THE HEAD, APOPLEXY.

Nothing gives so much ease in these complaints from  
which so many suffer, as Holloway's cooling and heal-  
ing Ointment. When rubbed upon the spine it acts  
most energetically in drawing surplus blood from the  
brain; even to children in teething; this Ointment has  
a miraculous effect in preventing fits and convulsions,  
so often attendant on tooth-cutting. The Pills should  
be used according to the directions.

RHEUMATISM, GOUT, STIFF JOINTS.

Every one suffering from these painful affections  
should use this purifying Ointment, as it has rescued  
thousands from a life of torture, after every other means  
had been tried in vain. The Ointment should be well  
rubbed into the skin at least twice a day, after it has  
been properly fomented with warm salt water, and dried.  
The inflammation soon yields, and the patient no longer  
helpless, resumes his accustomed occupation.

GLANDULAR SWELLINGS, BRONCHITIS, MUMPS, SORE THROAT,  
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may be impeding their healthy action. This Ointment  
acts on the very mainspring of life, for through the  
glands pass all new matter required for the body's re-  
paration; in all the above class of cases, the Ointment  
and Pills used conjointly will act so searching, and  
certainly, as to effect cures in the most deplorable cases.

PISTULAS AND FILLS.

All inflammations and ulcerations of sensitive parts  
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diligent use of this cooling and healing Ointment, aided  
daily by bathing the parts in cold water. Imme-  
diate ease springs from this treatment; perseverance is  
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In these complaints the Ointment should be well rub-  
bed twice a day upon the chest, and between the shoul-  
ders; it will penetrate to the lungs, stimulate them to  
renewed exertions, prevent stagnation of blood, moder-  
ate the pulsations of the heart, regulate the current of  
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